

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Claims 14-33 are currently pending in the instant application.

Applicants respectfully request that the amendments be entered in the specification. The amendments to the specification enter headings in the application which are required by the United States Patent and Trademark Office.

In addition, the formula at lines 6 and 7 at page 2 has been corrected to properly indicate that the fluorine-containing portion of the molecule is perfluorinated. That the fluorine-containing portion of the molecule is perfluorinated is shown at page 2, lines 18-26.

The abstract and the claims have been amended to reflect the nature of the fluorine-containing portion of the molecule. Applicants respectfully submit that no new matter has been entered by way of changing the formula.

The claims have been amended to place them in a form for more ready examination in the United States Patent and Trademark Office. The syntax of the claims have been amended to conform to common English usage and to be placed in a form acceptable to the United States Patent and Trademark Office.

None of the amendments to the claims have been entered to overcome any prior art reference of which Applicants are aware. The amendments to the claims delete all multiple dependencies.

Applicants respectfully submit that amendments to the claims do not enter new matter, but are fully supported in the specification and claims as originally

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filed. Favorable consideration of the claims in their amended form is respectfully requested.

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